

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Peter Richardson	Art Unit	: 1623
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Mail Stop Amendment

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REPLY TO ACTION OF AUGUST 19, 2008

This Reply is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed August 19, 2008 ("the Office Action") for the above-referenced application. The Examiner set a shortened three (3) month period for reply. Including the petition for a three-month extension of time submitted herewith, this reply is timely submitted on or before February 19, 2008.